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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in response to Office Action mailed December 21, 2004 for the above-identified application.

If a Petition for an Extension of Time is necessary for the paper transmitted herewith to be timely filed, this transmittal is to be considered as a petition to extend the response period by the amount of time needed for the papers to be timely filed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account

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